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Douglas E. Brenneman, Catherine Y. Spong, Illana Gozes, Merav Bassan, Rachel Zamostiano

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Sir:

The above-referenced patent application was filed on September 3, 2002. The applicants filed a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.181(a) to withdraw the holding of abandonment on June 5, 2007. To date, the attorneys for the applicant have not yet received a reply from the Office.

Please advise us of the status of this application and the petition filed June 5, 2007.

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